

Matthew Evans

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Sent: Saturday, February 17, 2018 4:33 PM
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Subject: Case Comment Form: Daniel Rose

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Name of Utility Company: NLI

Comment: Avista, a local electric utility supplier, needs to separate from the Hydro-One merger as its' HIGHEST PRIORITY!!! Otherwise, Idaho could be snared into partnership with a company whose management in the post Maurice Strong era is similar to the deep state swamp condition President Trump is attempting to drain.

Perpetuating the socialist agenda Strong engaged in using climate and environment as the Trojan horse, a condition Idaho shouldn't be anywhere near. Strong used the U.N. as a platform to sell the global environment crisis and the Global Governance Agenda and Hydro-One is intimately involved to this day in that effort.

I implore you visit the article written by David Bolaneus at; <http://gemstatepatriot.com/blog/hydro-one-purchase-avista/>. Make specific note of the scatterplot graph half way through the article, if nothing else, to understand the anticipated unacceptable electricity rate increases should this merger go through. The Obama quote has never left my mind, "Under my plan of a cap and trade system, electricity rates would necessarily skyrocket." (B. Obama, January 2008).

Some neighbors having Avista and other neighbors having NLI at vastly different rates is problematic to say the least..., and I don't want my NLI rates rising to Avista's or Hydro-One!!!!

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Matthew Evans

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Name of Utility Company: Avista Corporation

Comment: We oppose the transfer of ownership of Avista Corporation to Hydro One, a Canadian corporation. Hydro One has a long history of rate escalation and mismanagement after privatization in 1998/1999. Decades of political infighting and a major lawsuit which stopped the sale of Hydro One in 2002 serve as a warning that a merger with this private Canadian corporation will entangle citizens of the United States with a foreign legal system.

The globalization of energy reserves and distribution is a threat to national security and sovereignty. The advantage of the transfer appears to be wholly grounded in producing profits for a foreign corporation. United States utility customers will be less able to protest rate hikes and mismanagement to a corporate board located thousands of miles away in another country. Regionalization destroys our sovereignty and local control. Regionalization when it crosses national boundaries proves the point.

No sale to Hydro One.

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Matthew Evans

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Name of Utility Company: Avista Corporation
Comment: Our grid should not be allowed to be under international authority!

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Matthew Evans

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Name of Utility Company: Avista Corporation
Comment: NO SALE OF AVISTA TO HYDRO ONE!

Any such sale is to be in the public interest. The sale of Avista to Hydro One is not in the public interest.

Hydro One has the highest utility rates in Canada. We don't need that here.

Worse, selling something as vital as our energy supply to a foreign company cannot be in our best national interest. The last Canadian energy company to buy an American energy company sold their assets to Russia. See:
<https://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/prosecutors-ask-fbi-agents-info-uranium-one-deal-n831436>

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Matthew Evans

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Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: As a senior citizen on a fixed income, I have read about the rate increased imposed by Hydro One on its customers in Canada. I worry that such might happen to us here in the United States.

More importantly is the purchase of an American electric company by a foreign entity. I do not feel this is in the best interests of the American people.

Another worry is the possibility the new owners will be conservationists and want to destroy the dams that currently provide the power we now enjoy. If that happens, how is Hydro One going to provide power to Avistas customers?

These are my concerns. Although not a serious concern in the entire scheme of things, they are worries from a user on the Avista system.

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Matthew Evans

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Name of Utility Company: Utility Company: Avista Corporation
Comment: Prohibit the sale or management of Avista to including six hydroelectric facilities on the Spokane and Clark rivers to Hydro One, a Canadian utility company. Idaho Code 61-328b requires that the sale be in the public interest. This is not in the public interest to sell out to a foreign nation. It is not within their jurisdiction, it will raise prices, and could be sold to other nations.

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Matthew Evans

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Subject: Case Comment Form: Karen Schumacher

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Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: The Hydro One, Avista deal cannot be approved. Hydro One has a long record of financial mismanagement and skyrocketing rates. How can this deal go through when the US Senate is responsible for all transborder agreements? Relinquishing Idaho sovereignty to a foreign government clearly violates our Constitution, let alone the fact it puts Idaho under a foreign government. How can you possibly even consider an approval for this action? Your job is to protect Idahoans, not approve acquisitions by foreign governments. Do not approve this deal.

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Matthew Evans

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Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I am a customer of Avista Utilities in Hope, Idaho. I strongly object to this proposed merger of Avista with a Canadian company. As an Idahoan, I believe we must retain 100% ownership of our water resources in Idaho & Washington including water rights and hydropower dams. One only needs to review the history of the Montana Power Co sale that was enabled by the Montana Legislature in 1997. The investor stockholders who funded the building of that company over many years lost virtually all their investments because of this sale. In addition, the customers of Montana Power were subsequently subjected to huge rate increases.

Reference the following link for the history of this debacle:

montanariveraction.org/sorry.saga.mpc.html

First and foremost, the Idaho and Washington utility commissions must answer all the questions raised by this past debacle in Montana to prevent the same from happening here in Idaho and Washington by the purchase of the Avista power company by outside Canadian interests.

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Matthew Evans

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Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: Please stop the sale of avista electric to canada. If this sale goes thru I feel we will lose control of our dams and cheaper electric rates. we need to keep companies governed by the United States not other countries or regulation.

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